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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **IMAGE RECORDING DEVICE**

XX Specification - 13 pages, Claims - 5 pages, Abstract - 1 page.

XX Drawings - 5 sheets of drawings.

XX Declaration and Power of Attorney.

XX An assignment of the invention to Murata Kikai Kabushiki Kaisha

XX Priority of Japanese Appln. No. 8-274475 filed on October 17, 1996 is claimed under 35 USC 119, one certified copy of which is attached hereto.

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